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SUBJECT: SOMALI AMBASSADOR'S REQUEST FOR USG ASSISTANCE

SYC: A. STATE 213889 B. MOGADISCIO 1315

1. APPRECIATE DEPARTMENT'S STRONG REFUSAL ASSOCIATE USG WITH ANTI-GSDR ELEMENTS (REF A). SIAD REGIME IS GOING TO BE AROUND FOR SOME TIME AND WE MAY AS WELL ACCEPT THE FACT. IN ANY EVENT, THE LIKELIHOOD OF ITS BEING TOPPLED BY A HANDFUL OF DISSIDENT DIPLOMATS IS SO SMALL AS TO MERIT ONLY MINIMAL ATTENTION.

2. HAVE HEARD NOTHING RE AMBASSADOR DARMAN'S RECALL MUCH LESS OFFER TO HIM OF MINISTERIAL POSITION. IF, IN FACT, HE OPPOSED TO REGIME, WE WONDER WHY HE RETURNING AT ALL. DARMAN'S VIEWS WOULD PROBABLY BE KNOWN WITHIN GSDR, MAKING HIM MORE LIKELY CANDIDATE FOR JAIL THAN FOR MFA SLOT (SEE REF B).

3. NO SIGN HERE THAT OPPOSITION TO REGIME ON UPSWING. MOST EVERYONE COMPLAINS BUT NO ONE, INCLUDING ARMY, IN POSITION TO DO MUCH AT PRESENT. DARMAN'S ASSERTION REGARDING EMIGRATION TO KENYA CANNOT BE SUBSTANTIATED OR DENIED. WOULD APPEAR TO US, HOWEVER, MOST KNOWN EMIGRES, INCLUDING DIPLOMATS, ARE FIGURES

ASSOCIATED WITH ANCIEN REGIME WHOM GSDR WOULD AS SOON BE WITHOUT.

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